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Don't forget your cash
as these are cash
prices.

BEST

CALICOES

5 Cents.

For the next 30 days
I will sell all

10 cent articles at	7 cts
25 " " "	10 cts
50 " " "	39 cts
\$1.00 " " "	79 cts
\$1.50 " " "	\$1.10

MENS'

Suits worth \$16.00 now	\$13.00
Suits worth 15.00 now	12.00
Suits worth 12.00 now	9.00
Suits worth 8.00 now	6.50
Suits worth 7.50 now	5.50

YOUTHS'

Suits worth \$5.50 now	\$4.00
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CHIL RENS'

Suits from 80 cents to \$2

Boys' Corduroy pants were
50 cents now 39 cents

Prices on Shoes the same as
other goods Come while
they last

Don't forget the Cash.

SKIRTS

A lot of Ladies Skirts, were
\$3 to \$4, now \$1.50 to \$2.50;
a great bargain

A lot of Linolium Carpet and
Rugs.

COME NOW.

G. T. JOHNSON

O. K. STORE, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY.



HON. B. J. BETHURUM,

Whose announcement appears elsewhere in this issue as a candidate for the nomination for Commonwealth's Attorney for this, the 28th Judicial district, to fill the unexpired term caused by the resignation of J. N. Sharp, subject to the Republican primary to be held August 15th 1908.

Mr. Bethurum has always been an ardent and loyal Republican always taking an active part in all political matters, and up until he changed his residence to Somerset had been one of the leaders of the Republican party in this county.

For some time he has been filling the position, under appointment, and has done so with honor to himself and credit to the district.

The hearty endorsement for Mr. Bethurum which he will receive from Rockcastle Republicans, will bespeak the esteem and regard in which he is held by the people of his native birth. The following is an editorial clipped from the Somerset Herald:

"In an appropriate column of The Herald will be found the announcement of Hon. B. J. Bethurum as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney for the Twenty-Eighth Judicial District of Kentucky, subject to the Republican primary election, which has been set for August 15th, 1908. This district is composed of the counties of Clinton, Rockcastle, Pulaski and Wayne. Before coming to Pulaski county Mr. Bethurum had lived continuously in Rockcastle, where he had made a most creditable reputation as a lawyer and politician, having served

Rockcastle county one term in the Legislature representing Rockcastle and Laurel counties. Since coming to Somerset Mr. Bethurum has taken high rank as a lawyer, being universally recognized as one of the best young lawyers in Southeastern Kentucky, as well as a man of the highest honor and integrity. As a Republican he has a record without a blemish, and is always found ready and willing to do service for his party and its nominees. Being a man of fine personal appearance, a forceful and logical speaker, his capacity for leadership is second to none. Mr. Bethurum is now serving the district as Commonwealth's Attorney, having been appointed last January by Governor Willson to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Hon. J. N. Sharp, and the election this November is to fill out the unexpired term of the latter gentleman. Mr. Bethurum's conduct relative to the discharge of his official duties has been all that could be desired by his constituents, and it seems to be the opinion of all concerned, that the district has not had a more obliging, painstaking and efficient official than Mr. Bethurum has proven himself to be. His friends confidently assert that it matters not who may enter the primary against him, he will certainly win the nomination. Whoever supports him will have the satisfaction of knowing he has supported a self-made man, distinctively so, an able officer and a Republican in the very fullest meaning of the term."

WILLIAMSBURG.

The Whitley county Teachers Institute will be held here next week.—Miss Eva Fish of Mt. Vernon is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Fish.—Mrs. Frank Myers who was severely injured by a fall last week is improving slowly.—The jury in the trial of Mr. S. P. Gatliff for killing Osborne Gilreath brought a verdict this morning of nine years in the penitentiary. A new trial will be granted.

THE DOCTOR AWAY FROM HOME WHEN MOST NEEDED.

People are often very much disappointed to find that their family physician is away from home when they most need his services. Diseases like cramp colic and cholera morbus requires prompt treatment, and have in many instances proven fatal before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. The right way is to keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. No physician can prescribe a better medicine for these diseases. By having it in the house you can escape much pain and suffering and all risk. Buy it now; it may save life. For sale by Chas. C. Davis.

The International Paper Company announced a cut of 10 per cent, in its wage scale, to go in effect August 1. The cut will affect several thousand men.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is good for cuts, burns, bruises and scratches. It is especially good for piles. Recommended and sold by Chas. C. Davis.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT,

TOWN OF MT. VERNON,
JAN. 1, 1908.

RECEIPTS

Tax List 1907	\$1089.84
Fines collected	12.20
Notes to Banks	725.00
License, fees etc.	60.76
From 1906	115.00
	\$2002.79

EXPENDITURES

Turnpikes	\$136.50
Street gradings	82.74
Salaries Town Marshal, Trustees, Clerk etc.	394.46
Screenings for pikes	134.75
Paid on old indebtedness	96.15
Freight on screens	50.00
Uncollected Taxes	40.75
Printing, advertising etc.	22.50
Building stock pound	15.15
Assessor	12.00
Lumber for culverts	11.50
Tools and material	6.29
Total	\$2,002.79

The indebtedness of the town July 1st, 1908.
Notes in Bank.....\$75.00
Old indebtedness, before 1908 outstanding.....80.00
Turnpike East Mt. Vernon.....111.11
Total indebtedness.....\$266.11
The tax list for year 1908 is \$1150.00
Books are open for inspection for any citizen who desires it

JAMES MARET,
Town Clerk.

20 % DISCOUNT

Being overstocked on certain lines it is necessary we run our stock down, and in order to do so we offer our entire stock of

Shoes, Clothing and Notions

At 20 Per Cent Discount.

Dress Goods and Calicoes.

Our entire line of Dress Goods and Calicoes go at a discount of

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Mt. Vernon,

Kentucky.

Phone 87

WITHERS.

Farming is the order of the day at this place and rain is needed very bad.—There was preaching at Fair View Saturday night and Sunday, conducted by Rev. James Lundford.—Mrs. Elisha Mullins of White Oak visited her daughter Mrs. Thomas Anderson of this place Saturday and Sunday.—Aunt Ann Owens of Livingston is visiting her brother W. M. Mullins of this place.—Mrs. T. D. Mullins of Mt. Vernon who has been visiting relatives and friends the past week returned home Sunday.—Mrs. Caleb Martin and little granddaughter, Sallie Stewart, of Wildie are visiting Mrs. Gardner Mullins of this place.

Mrs. Alice French of White Oak visited her sister, Mrs. T. R. Mullins Saturday and Sunday.—J. W. Dooley of Berea is visiting his father, W. I. Dooley of this place.—Mr. Harry Curr of this place continues very sick.—Charlie Lyons and W. M. Bancann of Junction City are here loading lumber.—Dan Sattles and family returned home to Corbin Ky. Tuesday after a pleasant visit with friends and relatives at this place.—W. D. Mullins and W. H. Singleton of Blanche Ky., are visiting homefolks this week.—Mrs. Lucy Ferguson is on the sick list.—Mrs. Tebittha Quinn of Livingston is visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. Sarah Mullins and Mrs. Minnie Scott.—There are many people preparing for a good time July 4th. at this place.

THE REMEDY THAT DOES.

"Dr. King's New Discovery is the remedy that does the healing other promise but fail to perform," says Mrs. E. R. Pierson, of Auburn Centre, Pa. "It is curing me of throat and lung trouble of long standing, that other treatments relieved only temporarily. New Discovery is doing me so much good that I feel confident its continued use for a reasonable length of time will restore me to perfect health." This renowned cough and cold remedy and throat and lung healer is sold at Chas. C. Davis' drug store. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Just Received

Spring and Summer Line of

Dry Goods and Notions,

Which will be sold at lowest prices to be found anywhere. Also full line of **Shoes** just received, which will be sold at bottom prices.

Staple and Fancy Groceries

kept continually on hand at lowest prices.

J. J. STOKES,

On East Fork Skeggs Creek,

Three miles South of Mt. Vernon.

P. S. Remember that in connection we have a general black-smith shop. Wagon making and repairing a specialty.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP.

FAIR DATES.

FOR SALE:—Cedar posts any size or length.

H. J. MULLINS,
Mt. Vernon, Ky.

June 11-31.
NOTICE:—My yearling bull (Moberly) will be permitted to serve a few cows at \$1.00.

MODE CRAWFORD,
Brodhead, Ky.

FOR SALE:—I have in my hands for sale one good house and lot in Brodhead and six good farm adjacent to the corporate limits of the town. Those wishing to buy property should see me before purchasing. I have some splendid bargains to offer.

W. A. TYREE,
Brodhead, Ky.

6-8-3tf.

The following is a list of Kentucky Fair dates so far as reported:

Crab Orchard, July 15, 3 days.
Stanford, July 22, 3 days.
Georgetown July 28, 5 days.
Lancaster, July 29, 3 days.
Winchester, August 4, 4 days.
Danville, August 5, 3 days.
Lexington, August 10, 5 days.
Burkesville, August 11, 4 days.
BRODHEAD, August 12, 3 days.
Lawrenceburg, Aug. 18, 4 days.
London, August 26, 4 days.
Barboursville, August 19, 3 days.
Somerset, September 1, 5 days.
Paris, September 1, 5 days.
Monticello, September 8, 4 days.

WAR AGAINST

CONSUMPTION.

All nations are endeavoring to check the rages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims each year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results.

The function of the kidneys is to strain out the impurities of the blood which is constantly passing through them. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes the kidneys healthy. They will strain out all waste matter from the blood. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy and it will make you well.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Commonwealth's Attorney.
We are authorized to announce B. J. Be-
thum as a candidate for Commonwealth's
Attorney Twenty-Eighth Judicial District,
subject to the action of the Republican
Primary, Election August 15, 1908.

For County Court Clerk.

We are authorized to announce C.
T. JOHNSON as a candidate for County
Court Clerk, subject to the action of the
Republican party.

We are authorized to announce
FELIX BOWMAN as a candidate for
County Court Clerk, subject to the ac-
tion of the Republican party.

FOR JAILER

We are authorized to announce
CAM MULLINS as a candidate for
Jailer of Rockcastle County, subject
to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce W.
A. TAYLOR as a candidate for Jailer
of Rockcastle County, subject to the
action of the Republican party.

FOR ASSESSOR

We are authorized to announce W.
H. BAKER as a candidate for As-
sessor of Rockcastle County, subject
to the action of the Republican party.



W. H. BAKER

Who will be nominated for
President at Denver next week
and elected next November.

FRANKFORT, KY., JUNE 24, 1908

Dear County Superintendent:
A bulletin giving detailed infor-
mation and suggestions concerning
the operation of the new "County
School District Law" will shortly
be issued. Numerous inquiries
and suggestions about House Bill
No. 147 have reached this Depart-
ment and will have most careful
consideration. To-day this circular
may be helpful to officers for
immediate needs.

1. The County is the unit. The
school boundary must coincide with
the County. The law recognizes
no "fractional districts." However,
I think, that conditions may make necessary
"convenient arrangements" locally
similar to the old law in Section 68.
Such arrangements cannot be
effected by this office but must be
perfected by local authorities. Of
course the redistricting will have
no effect concerning the operation
of schools for the year 1908-9.

2. The County Superintendent,
the County Judge, and the County
Attorney shall divide the county
into Educational Divisions and
they shall sub-divide each Educa-
tional District into school sub-
districts. Boundaries are to be
based on white children, but when-
ever these boundaries are fixed by
these officers above named, the
lines of white and colored districts
shall coincide.

3. Paragraph (2) above indicates
that the officers named are the
absolute authority to fix and
change the Educational Division.
But Section 10 of the new law
directs that the County Board of
Education shall have full power to
establish new school subdistricts
and to change the boundaries of
school subdistricts. The framers
of the Act, however, had no
intention of ultra-rigid boundaries.
A wise provision of the Act, see
Section 17 carefully, has reference
to consolidation of school sub-

districts. Two or more white sub-
districts may unite for the needs
of the white children; vice versa
several subdistricts may unite for
the needs of the colored children.
These are called "Consolidated
Schools." Section 17 is to the
Superintendent, who is a real
statesman, a sufficient "safety
valve". Look out for the needs of
the schools, not for the needless
friction!

4. About numbering Educational
Divisions and Sub-districts: For
future convenience number the
educational divisions and the school
subdistricts in the following man-
ner: Beginning in Educational
Division No. 1; Oak Hill Sub-
district No. 2; and so on through
the whole number of subdistricts
in this Division. Then Educational
Division No. 2, with Colletts
Subdistrict No. 1; Powell Sub-
district No. 2; and so on through
the whole number of subdistricts
in this Division. Then in the
same way number each subdistrict
in the other Educational Division.

5. The question is asked: Is it
possible to make Lebanon (for
example) an Educational Division
by itself? Refer to the new law
(Bulletin No. 3) Section 2, which
says: "The County Judge, the
County Superintendent of schools,
and County Attorney shall then
sub-divide each of the said educa-
tional divisions into school sub-
districts following as nearly as
practicable the boundaries of
existing school districts for white
children". If the educational
Division (Lebanon) can be sub-
divided into subdistricts, and if the
trustees can organize a division
Board as noted in Section 4, such
possibility may be contrived. The
matter is scarcely practicable.

6. About questions concerning
election of trustees:
(a) Trustees are elected by
ballot. Boxes are to be used and
the secret ballot is to be used as at
all regular elections.

(b.) The County Clerk furnishes
boxes and ballots. Procedure
should obtain as in all regular
election except as specifically
directed in the new law.

(c.) The following blanks will be
furnished by this office to the
county superintendent:

1. Certificate of trustee—eligibil-
ity.
2. Petition of trustee—nominat-
ion.
3. Trustee's election—returns.
7. Graded Common Schools
shall retain their present bound-
aries and be exempt from the
provisions of the new Act. See
Section 2.

8. Bulletin No. 3, directs that
the school session 1908-9 will not
be affected by the new law. The
Superintendent means it to be
understood that old district
boundaries according to 1908
will exist, that the present trustees
should arrange the opening of
schools, the selecting of teachers,
etc., but the old trustees vacate
their office as soon as the division
boards organize—within thirty days
after the date of their election—
August 31, 1908. See Section 4.
The new officers take full control
of school property, school super-
vision, etc., at that time.

Fellow-superintendent, 95 per
cent. of our school people believe
in the new system; I depend upon
you as the head of your county.
Bear in mind these two things at
once: First, it is a great opportu-
nity you have to redistrict your
entire county; second, your in-
fluence should count for much in
the selection of the right trustees.

Respectfully submitted,
J. G. GRABBE.

There is one preparation known
today that will promptly help the
stomach. This is Kodol. Kodol
digests all classes of food, and it
does it thoroughly, so that the use
of Kodol for a time will without
doubt help anyone who has
stomach disorder or stomach
trouble. Take Kodol today and
continue it for a short time that is
necessary to give you complete
relief. Kodol is sold by Chas. C.
Davis.

Arrangements have been per-
fected to run a Good Roads con-
vention special from Louisville to
the Eminence meeting on Friday
morning. The train will leave
Louisville at 9 o'clock, returning
the same evening.

Just a little Cascasweet is all that
is necessary to give your baby
when it is cross and peevish. Cas-
casweet contains no opiates nor
habit-forming drugs and is highly
recommended by mothers every-
where. Conforms to the National
Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold
by Chas. C. Davis.

QUARTERLY REPORT.

Of the Citizens Bank at the close of
business June 30th 1908.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discount	\$68,991.55
Overdrafts secured	671.81
Due from Nat'l S. & S. Bk.	
Due from State Banks	10,383.45
and Bankers	1,500.00
Banking house and lot	3,850.00
Specie	1,677.53
Currency	3,198.11
Furniture and fixtures	2807.47

Total, \$91,582.81

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in cash	\$15,000.00
Surplus funds	750.00
Undivided profits	549.37
Dep. subject to check (on which in. is not pd)	\$55,491.99
Dep. subject to check (on which in. is pd)	14,591.45
Bills rediscounted	\$70,283.44
	5,000

SUPPLEMENTARY
Highest amount of indebtedness
of any stockholder, person, com-
pany or firm (including in the
liability of the company or firm
the liability of the individual
members thereof) directly or in-
directly, is such indebtedness ex-
ceeds 20 per cent. of capital-stock
actually paid in, and actual
amount of surplus paid in. None.

Highest amount of indebtedness
of any director or officer, if
the amount of such indebtedness
exceeds 10 per cent. of paid-up
capital stock of bank. None
(See Sec. 583 Ky Statutes.)

Does amount of indebtedness
of any person, company or firm
including in the liability of the
company or firm the liability of
the individual members thereof
exceed 30 per cent. of paid-up
capital and actual surplus. No.

Were all expenses, losses, in-
terest and taxes, deducted there-
from before declaring dividend
and was not less than 10 per cent
of net profits of the bank for the
period covered by the dividend
carried to the surplus fund be-
fore said dividend was declared. Yes.

Total, \$91,582.81
STATE OF KENTUCKY,
County of Rockcastle.

I, J. W. Hutcheson, Cashier of The
Citizens Bank, a Bank organized
located and doing business in the town
of Brookfield, in said county, being duly
sworn, says the foregoing report is in all
respects a true statement of the condition
of said bank at the close of business on
the 30th day of June, 1908, to the best
of his knowledge and belief, and further
says that the business of said bank has
been transacted at the location named,
and not elsewhere; and that the above
report is made in compliance with an
official notice received from the Secre-
tary of State designated the 30th day of June
1908, as the day on which report shall be
made.
J. W. HUTCHESON, Cashier
Directors—T. S. Firth, B. C. Anderson, W.
E. Gravelly.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by
J. W. Hutcheson the 30th day of June 1908
A. E. ALBRIGHT,
Notary Public

BEST THE WORLD AFFORDS

"It gives me unbounded pleasure
to recommend Bucklen's Arnica
Salve," says J. W. Jenkins, of
Chapel Hill, N. C. "I am con-
vinced it's the best salve the world
affords. It cured a felon on my
thumb, and it never fails to heal
every sore, burn or wound to which
it is applied. 25c. at Chas. C.
Davis' drug store."

The Carroll County Board of
Control of the Burley Tobacco
Society Monday took charge of
2,000,000 pounds of tobacco, crop
of 1906, which had been stored in
local warehouses. All the tobacco
was in prime condition and soon
the same warehouses will take
charge of the 1907 crop of the
same county to hold it until July
1, 1909.

JUST EXACTLY RIGHT.

"I have used Dr. King's New
Life Pills for several years, and
find them just exactly right," says
Mr. A. A. Felton, of Harrisville,
N. Y. New Life Pills relieve
without the least discomfort. Best
remedy for constipation, bilious-
ness and malaria. 25c. at Chas.
C. Davis' drug store.

Acting on Mexico's request that
the United States endeavor to pre-
vent violations of the neutrality
laws, President Roosevelt directed
Secretary Taft to have United
States troops sent to the Texas
border. The Mexican Govern-
ment maintains that the uprising
has not reached the dignity of a
revolution and that offenders will
be prosecuted merely as common
criminals.

TAKE THE POSTMASTER'S WORD FOR IT.

Mr. F. M. Hamilton, postmaster
at Cherryvale, Ind., keeps also a
stock of general merchandise and
patent medicines. He says:
"Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and
Diarrhoea Remedy is standard here
in its line. It never fails to give
satisfaction and we could hardly
afford to do without it." For sale
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NEWS OF KENTUCKY

Tersley Told Information Concerning
Matters of Current Interest
to Kentuckians.

THE STATE NEWS IN A NUTSHELL

Where Are Found Accurately Detailed
The Happenings of the Largest Im-
port Which Are Attracting Atten-
tion Throughout Kentucky.

Lexington, Ky., June 28.—After con-
sidering the reports of the di-
rectors and a number of minor officials
of the American Tobacco company
made recently to again come before
the board for a conference relative to
the purchasing of the crop, the ex-
ecutive committee of the Burley Tobacco
society at Winchester decided that all
future efforts of the American Tobacco
company to purchase the pooled to-
bacco crop from the Burley Tobacco
society was fruitless unless President
James B. Duke appears before the
board personally to consummate the
deal with the society, whereby his
company will take over the entire crop.
The executive committee takes this
action on account of the conference
held by them with Vice President
Smith and a number of other officials
of the American Tobacco company
some months ago at which time they
stated they had no power to act au-
thoritatively without the approval of
President Duke, and although the bur-
ley board considered the matter at
length with representatives of the com-
pany they could accomplish nothing.
The board will demand that Presi-
dent Duke come to Winchester, other-
wise no further sales will be made to
them or any business matters in con-
nection with their dealing considered.

WHOLESALE CLEMENCY

Acting Governor of Kentucky Pardons
Ten Infirm and Blind Convicts.

Frankfort, Ky., June 29.—Acting
Governor Cox has pardoned ten infirm
and blind convicts, being the greatest
number pardoned at one time in thirty
years. They and their records are as
follows:

Charles Shutterly, housebreaking, ten
years, ill with tuberculosis; George
West, malicious wounding, life sen-
tence and has served twenty-two
years, ill with tuberculosis; J. J. Little,
wife murderer, manslaughter, twenty-
one years, is blind; Hammond William-
son, manslaughter, ten years, is blind;
Louis Burgess, murder, twenty-one
years, is infirm; Rosa West, three
years for robbery, ill with tuberculosis;
Will de Dorsey, life sentence, robbery,
ill with tuberculosis; Albert Overton,
malicious cutting, five years, is blind;
James Cronching, blind, housebreak-
ing, two years, ill with tuberculosis;
Frank Judy, four years, housebreaking,
is blind.

UNDER NASTY CHARGE

St. Louis Liquor Salesman Accused of
Circulating Obscene Literature.

Chattanooga, Tenn., June 29.—The
Hamilton county grand jury has re-
turned a presentment against Le-
vey of St. Louis, dealer in gin, charg-
ing him with circulating obscene litera-
ture. A traveling salesman named
Greenwald, living in Memphis, who has
sold the Levy gin in this city, was also
made the subject of a presentment car-
rying the same charge.

At the same sitting the grand jury
found formal charges against five local
liquor dealers. They are charged with
exhibiting obscene pictures in their
places of business.

Levy, the St. Louis man, will hardly
be extradited unless it appears that
Governor Folk is anxious that he
brought to a trial on this charge and
therefore willing to issue his warrant
for the arrest.

TO SAVE ITS HORSE INDUSTRY

Bluegrass State Looks to Cavalry for
Demand.

Lexington, Ky., June 29.—In the
hope of saving the horse industry of
Kentucky, which suffered greatly be-
cause of the passage of anti-breeding
laws in New York, a movement was
started here to secure the consent of
the government to establish a remount
station here for the breeding and train-
ing of thoroughbred horses for the use
of cavalry officers.

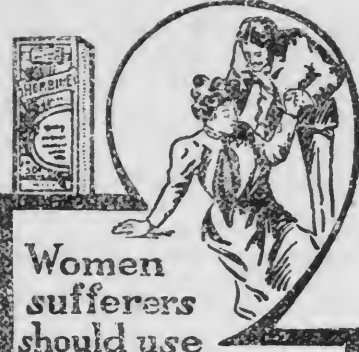
It is believed that farms of any size
desired by the government can be
purchased at a lower price now than
for many years, and the matter will
likely be taken up at once.
The only argument against the use
of thoroughbreds as war horses is said
to be their nervousness, but it is be-
lieved that this can easily be trained
out of them.

To Exclude Canadian Boozers.

Detroit, Mich., June 29.—Acting un-
der instructions from United States
District Attorney Watson, United
States Marshal Taylor seized 5,495
cases of a well known brand of Cana-
dian whiskey in the warehouse of Hiram
Walker & Sons in this city. This is
a renewal of the efforts of the agri-
cultural department to exclude from
the American market this and other
brands of Canadian whiskey, on the
ground that they are not labeled in ac-
cordance with the new pure food and
drug law.

To THE INSURING PUBLIC:—On
April 18th, I suffered a loss of my
entire stock of goods by fire, which
was insured in the New York
Underwriters Agency represented by
Mr. E. S. Albright of Mt.
Vernon. On May 5th, I received
a check in full settlement of every
dollar called for in the policy. I can
heartily recommend Mr.
Albright and his company to any
one, wanting fire insurance.

Very Truly
C. H. FIRTH.



Women
sufferers
should use

HERBINE

DON'T
let yourself be so miserable.
Why suffer from severe head-
aches, dizziness, fainting spells
and be fretful? Your liver
needs attention. Try Herbine
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CURES Constipation, Bilious-
ness, Chills and Fever and
all Liver Complaints.
Mrs. E. C. Morrison, Hous-
ton, Texas, writes: "I have
suffered for years from severe
headaches, dizziness and
fainting spells. I received
no relief until I tried Herbine,
and was completely cured. I
use it always."

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take. Sold by Chas. C. Davis.

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QUARTERLY REPORT.

Of The Bank of Mt. Vernon at the close of business June 30th 1908.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discount	\$79,657.59
Overdrafts secured	3,566.84
Due from Natl. Banks	5,892.48
Mortgages	15,745.95
Specie	1,801.46
Current expenses	589.74
1st quarter	1,359.33
Total	\$115,069.64

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in cash	\$15,000.00
Dividends	6000.00
Undivided profits	4,287.21
Dep. subject to check (on which is 18.75% of \$50,000.00)	\$9,375.00
Dep. subject to check (on which is 18.75% of \$7,738.43)	\$1,462.32
Due State Banks and Bankers	\$1,000.00
Other liabilities	1,000.00
Total	\$115,069.64

SUPPLEMENTARY.

Amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, person, company or firm (including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly, is such indebtedness exceeds 20 per cent of capital stock actually paid in, and actual surplus paid in. None.

Amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, exceeds 10 per cent of paid-up capital and actual surplus. No.

Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof exceed 20 per cent of paid-up capital and actual surplus. No.

Amount of last dividend 10 per cent 1,500.00

Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes, deducted therefrom before declaring dividend and was not less than 10 per cent of net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared. Yes.

Total \$115,069.64

STATE OF KENTUCKY, County of Rockcastle, ss.

I, W. L. Richards, Cashier of the Bank of Mt. Vernon, a Bank organized and doing business in the town of Mt. Vernon in said county, being duly sworn, says the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of said bank at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1908, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State designated the 30th day of June 1908, as the day on which report should be made.

W. L. RICHARDS, Cashier

Directors—C. C. Williams, S. H. Martin, Geo. Livesey

Subscribed and sworn to before me by W. L. Richards the 1st day of July 1908.

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Rev. I. W. Williams, Huntington, W. Va., testifies as follows: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble and am free to say that Foley's Kidney Remedy will do all that you claim for it."

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This great herb laxative compound is especially suited to the delicate system of women because of its gentle but prompt action, its pleasant taste and its freedom from griping. It does not weaken like purgatives and cathartics, but builds up and strengthens. It is a guaranteed permanent cure and should be as readily in your home as in that of thousands of others. Women use it themselves and give it to children in preference to any other laxative because it is guaranteed to do what a good laxative should do, and does it gently. Mrs. Tyner, of 808 McLaren Ave., St. Louis, Mo., is glad to say that it cured her constipation and stomach trouble and recommends it to American womanhood. She is but one of thousands who are loud in praise of it. You who have never used it should begin to-day. You will date your freedom from sickness to the day that you start the use of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Your druggist will sell you a bottle under our absolute guarantee.

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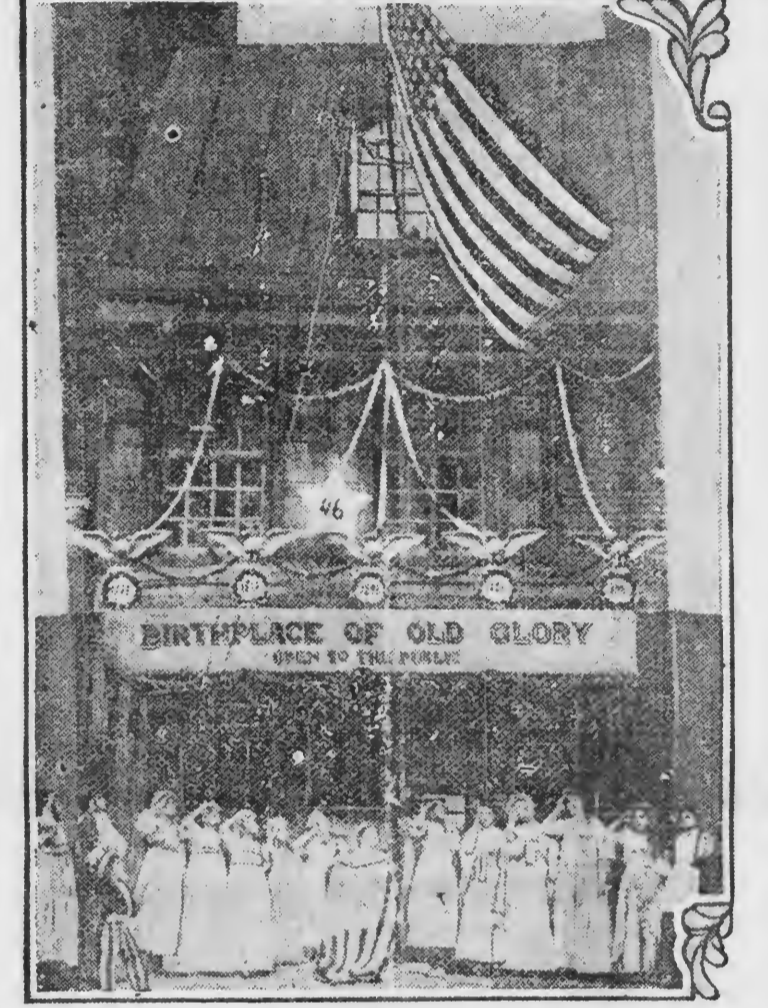
ONE MORE STAR FOR THE GRAND OLD FLAG

Oklahoma's, Added on July 4, is the Forty-sixth in Old Glory.

A Fourth of July Sketch by John Walter Witherspoon. Copyright, 1908, by C. N. Lurie

UNDER the provisions of an old act of congress Oklahoma's star, the forty-sixth, will be added to the American flag this Fourth of July, but on New Year's day some school children in Philadelphia anticipated the official addition of the new star in a very pretty ceremony, as shown by the accompanying illustration. Though Oklahoma was admitted to statehood by the president's proclamation of Nov. 16, 1907, under a law passed in 1818 the new star could not be added until the Fourth of July following. This law has applied to all states added since the year mentioned. The little old house in which the first "star spangled banner" was made under direction of General Washington and a committee of congress stands at 239 Arch street, Philadelphia. It was here that the little girls and boys celebrated the advent of 1908 by hoisting a flag containing forty-six stars. Thirteen girls clad in colonial costumes of white represented the original states, while a boy dressed up as Uncle Sam and another uniformed like a colonel of the Continental army assisted in the ceremony.

Mrs. Betsy Ross, a pretty widow



FLAG HOUSE CELEBRATION, PHILADELPHIA, IN OKLAHOMA'S HONOR.

house from Charles P. Mund. The money for the purchase was contributed by more than a million persons, many of them school children. The price was \$25,000, and most of the money consisted of dimes.

An interesting innovation in American political life which accompanies the admission of Oklahoma to statehood is the conferring of full citizenship upon the Indians of the Five Civilized Tribes—Cherokees, Creeks, Choctaws, Chickasaws and Seminoles. These Indians now may vote, run for township constable or president of the United States and exercise any other function of citizenship which is open to a citizen of any state.

Each of these Indians, man, woman and child, is the owner of a considerable acreage of land in the Indian Territory part of Oklahoma. The lands were allotted to them as tribal citizens.

The War of the Chesapeake.

The war of 1812 sometimes is called the war of the Chesapeake. Several years before war was declared she was on a practice cruise across the Atlantic. She was challenged by a British ship of war and ordered to give up four men who had deserted from the British navy. Captain Barron, her commander, refused. The British vessel opened fire, killing and wounding a number of Americans. After an ineffectual defense the Chesapeake struck her colors to the Briton and delivered up the men wanted. Three of these were American citizens who had been impressed into the British service. It was such infamous acts as these on the part of Great Britain that caused the war of 1812.

Charles Carroll of Carrollton. When Charles Carroll of Maryland was about to sign the Declaration of Independence he was warned that he was jeopardizing his immense property, and some one else said: "Oh, King George will never hang Carroll. There are too many of them. His majesty can't identify him."

"True," said Carroll and promptly wrote after his name "of Carrollton."

The Absentminded Man.

"What day does the Fourth of July come on this year?" asked the absent-minded man.

"On Saturday."

"Yes, but what day of the month?"

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